



Walter O. Vaughan, who shot and killed Lee Suter at Dream Palace Fishing Camp, several months ago, was given a trial in the Jefferson county criminal court last week. He was fined \$750 and sent to the State Reform School Lexington where he will remain until he is twenty-one years old. He is now eighteen.

The St. Louis Republic says of all the Generals in the world, in peace or in war, the greatest is General Amnesty. He doesn't come upon the field of action until the other Generals have done their fling, but when he does come he makes all men lay down their arms.

The State Board of Health has issued a warning to the people of Kentucky against smallpox, calling attention to the need of vaccination and thorough sanitary measures.

President Roosevelt, while on his way to St. Louis, last week, was presented with a live coon in an Ohio town. It was an appropriate gift.

The indications are that Adair county will soon become an oil field. Drilling will commence in a few days.

CAMPBELLVILLE. Wheat in this market has advanced to \$1.25 per bushel. The growing crop of wheat, taking everything in consideration is better than could have been expected. Some fields are looking fine, while others are showing the effects of dry weather.

Rev. Shive, pastor of the Presbyterian church here, has been called to the pastorate of a large church at Joplin, Mo. He has accepted the call and will soon depart for his new field of labor. Mr. Shive is a ready speaker, an able minister, and stood high in the estimation of the members of his church and many warm personal friends. A vacancy will occur here and a new minister will have to be called.

Mrs. Moore, consort of D. B. Moore, died at 4 o'clock, on the morning of the 24th inst., after a prolonged illness, age 62 years. A large crowd attended her funeral at the Baptist church on Friday. Her funeral oration was delivered by Rev. Giddon, her pastor. Her remains were buried at the Campbellville cemetery.

The recent, sudden and unexpected death of Mr. Cromwell B. Hoskins, of Knoxville recently, came as a shock to his relatives and friends here. He was found dead in an alley with his throat cut. Suicide on account of financial troubles was suggested by a city daily. His friends do not believe he committed suicide on account of business embarrassment or any other cause. No cause is known to exist. He was a member of an insurance firm and his partner states his books and accounts are all right. Foul play is suspected, sufficient to cause an investigation. He, and his young wife were on a visit to relatives and friends in this place last year. Both seemed to be very cheerful and in good spirits. Mr. B. was a bright and active business man, with many friends and acquaintances. He was a half brother to Mrs. Patterson, widow of Judge Chas. Patterson, of this place.

Threshing day, was celebrated at this place by Floral decoration and worship. The sermon was preached by Leslie Bottoms and W. D. Ware. The church was beautifully decorated for the occasion by J. O. White, the teacher, and the pupils. Mr. White is to be highly commended for his very diligent and efficient work here as teacher. We doubt there is a better taught or governed school in the county.

Miss Myrtle Bottoms, Knifley, visited friends here last week.

Miss Florence White visited at Knifley last week.

Mumps is still raging in this vicinity.

J. C. White is on the sick list.

Mr. Tyler Bryant sold his farm to Mr. Washington White last week.

Mr. Flora Montgomery has recovered from a long illness.

Miss Mattie Roberts is visiting her sister near Webb's Road this week.

J. O. and J. T. White visited Rev. Leslie Bottoms last week, spending Saturday hunting.

THE FARMERS

The farmers are about through gath.

Lumber hauling is the order of the day.

Henry Squires has finished his contract building near here, and has returned to his home near Cave Valley.

Rev. Thomas, representing the Salvation Army of Louisville, closed a very successful meeting at Concord Sunday.

Our merchants, Moore & Dooley, are enjoying a good trade.

Miss Cora Royndale, who is teaching near Roley, came home on a visit Friday.

We all had a nice time Thanksgiving.

Miss Pearl Breeding visited at home last Friday.

Ed Paynter has a pair of fine mules.

Bill Turner, a guest of J. A. King last week.

#### GRADYVILLE.

Thanksgiving passed off quietly with several turkeys served.

Miss Bettie Dulin is in a critical condition with typhoid fever.

Mr. Jo Hunter's children, who have been dangerously ill with typhoid fever, are better at this time.

Rev. Jo Nicholas is holding a meeting at Norris school-house, this week.

Davis & Wood, Smithville, Tenn., delivered quite a lot of fine fruit trees here last week.

Jo Lane, Strong Hill, Ed Atkins, L. Durham and J. Goff, traveling men, were with our merchants last week.

Prof. R. Moss and brother, of Columbia, spent Saturday and Sunday with N. H. Moss.

J. L. Walker, of Columbia, spent Sunday night and Sunday here.

Rev. J. P. Scruggs visited the sick in this community several days of last week. On Saturday and Sunday he preached two interesting sermons.

L. M. Wilmore and wife returned from a visit to relatives at Blairtown, Mo., last week. Mr. Wilmore informed us that he was favorably impressed with that country.

Miss Kate Walker spent last week in Columbia with relatives.

Miss Mag. Walker, of Nell, spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Kate Walker.

Miss Bessie Walker and Miss Dun can, students of L. W. T. S. of Columbia, visited Miss Walker's parents Saturday and Sunday.

J. A. Diddle sold Richard Tandy two of the best yearling mules ever raised in this section for \$250.

Miss Bonnie Hockersmith, of Frankfort, spent a few days of last week here.

The few dry cool days gave our farmers an opportunity of slaughtering hogs.

J. H. Smith sold his farm near here to Hughes & Coffey, Columbia, for \$2,750. J. W. Walker & Bro. sold their farm to the same firm for \$1,000. This deal combines two farms and Hughes & Coffey have one of the best farms in this section and it is very accessible.

Mrs. C. S. Walkup, of our city, who has been using morphine for the past five years, requested your correspondent to state through The News that she has found a permanent cure. She will cheerfully give it to any one who wants to be cured of it. Address her at this place.

Smith & Nell bought on Cumberland river last week, 75 cattle, weighing 500 to 1,000 pounds, at \$2 to \$2 1/2 cts. a pound. This firm has 100 head of stock cattle that they will sell reasonably.

R. M. Hall, of Louisville, spent last week with Smith & Nell bird hunting. The most successful day was Friday. They bagged 25 that day.

#### LOEBETTES.

Dr. C. A. Cox and John Lowe are prominent among the traveling men that were here last week.

Jason Coffey and his pretty bride have returned from the World's Fair and will go to housekeeping in a few days. They look just as happy as a big sun flower, and they have reasons so to be.

The Democrats of this precinct met at Middleburg, Monday November 22nd and elected W. Z. Short commissioner to look after the affairs of the Democrats here for the next four years.

Thanksgiving was observed by every one here last week. Boys, hawks, dogs or a shotgun. Birds, rabbits, etc., that were not with lead were scared to death.

Litton Wells and his son, Jack, killed a couple of white quail while hunting on W. E. Harger's farm last week. They were unlike other quail, not only in the color of their feathers, but also in their feet which were more like a pigeon.

It is conceded by every one here that The Adair County News is the newest paper that comes to this office. We notice that it is more sought after than all others.

Prof. M. H. Judd, assistant teacher at Middleburg Normal College, has taken charge of the Sunday-school at the Christian church, and it is said that there is a visible improvement in the school. Prof. Judd seems to be a good man to have about.

Mr. Mat Horton and wife are visiting Mrs. Horton's father, J. W. McWhorter, of Middleburg. Mr. H. is an engineer on the Kentucky Midland, with headquarters at Frankfort. He uses to run the train from here to Kingsville, over the Cincinnati, Great River road, commonly known as "spirit water."

If there was no more weeping among Democrats over the result of the election in other parts of the country than here, there were few tears shed. Every one here has gone about his business seemingly caring nothing whatever about the matter. No one was the least surprised at Parker's defeat, though the majority against him was surprisingly large.

There are some half dozen candidates for offices already out and it is said that the woods will be full before the buds open next spring. J. C. Lay has announced for county attorney, J. B. Wesley for county clerk and I. S. Flanagan for county superintendent. The latter, it is said, will be opposed by one J. J. Durham and probably Editor Henry Thomas. No one has dared to offer for county judge yet, though we are expecting Judge Rains to "bob" up at any time.

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## MENTION.

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Mr. J. Coffey, Jr., is visiting in Campbellsville.

Eld. W. K. Ashill is on a business trip to Columbia.

Mr. W. C. Grider, of Eato, was in Columbia last Friday.

Judge T. A. Murrell was quite sick several days of last week.

Carter Buchanan, of Campbellsville, was here the first of the week.

Mr. Emmet Goode, of Casey's Creek, was in Columbia last Friday.

Miss Callie B. Barber, has returned from a visit to Campbellsville.

Mr. Otis W. Pickrel, of Louisville, visited in Columbia last Sunday.

Mr. Cameron Dunbar, of Crookston, was here the first of the week.

Mr. Luther Williams, of Montpelier, attended services here last Sunday.

Messrs. Will Whip and E. Wood, Campbellsville, were here Sunday.

Mr. W. R. Lyon, of Campbellsville, was here a day or two last week.

Deputy Collector J. H. Judd, came over from Lebanon to spend Sunday.

Mr. M. W. Hancock is now deputy postmaster under Mr. J. M. Russell.

Messrs. Jas. Meader and J. R. Sanders, Campbellsville, were here Sunday.

Dr. G. T. Simpson, of Dresden, who has been seriously ill, is reported improving.

Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Taylor and son of Glenford, were in to see Judge day.

Mr. Jas. Garnett, Jr., was in court at the Green circuit court last week.

Miss Nina Taylor, of Campbellsville, was the guest of Miss Lorena Fife two days last week.

Mrs. P. V. Grissom and family, have returned from a visit to Little Rock, Ark.

Mr. W. D. Jones is on an extended visit to San Francisco and other points in the West.

Rev. F. E. Lewis, who has been on a visit to California, returned to Columbia last Saturday.

Mr. John D. Sharp and daughter, Miss Mary Lee, of Annapolis, Md., relatives in Adair county, were in town last week.

Mrs. Mollie Cartwright, wife of Dr. W. F. Cartwright, who showed her daughter in Oklahoma, returned home last week.

Mr. Geo. Woodson, of Sparksville, was in to see Saturday an attack of indigestion for which his section would begin at an early day.

Eld. Z. T. Williams and his wife, Mrs. Bert Epperson, left for Barren county Monday morning where the latter expects to visit a farm.

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## P. H. ZEABRATICH DEAD

The subject of this notice was a native of Indiana, but had been in business in Adair county for quite a number of years. He resided in the northern portion of this county, and a short time ago he was taken ill, and he was stricken with typhoid fever, dying last Saturday night. He was about fifty years old and was a good citizen. He leaves a wife and several children. The remains were shipped to his old home in Indiana.

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## MARRIAGE LICENSES

The following marriage licenses were issued from the Adair county clerk's office during the month of November:

Dimitrios Harden to Mrs. Charlotte T. Hughes.

E. P. Perkins to Miss Rona Parker.

A. A. McAlister to Miss Ada B. Spalding.

T. E. Waggoner to Miss Josie Caldwell.

Eggs are always in short. The farmer does not have to wait for his money from the sale of eggs. They are in demand all the time, and when one customer has not the cash, the next is ready to secure them. Nothing on the farm is so free from the credit system as eggs and the best laid out of all classes, from the owner of the large farm, to the widow of a small patch, to the boy who is waiting for his money from the sale of eggs. When the seed are planted the returns do not come until the next harvest, nearly a year intervening, but the hens take care of the farmer's money all the time, daily supply him with a product that has a ready cash value. Many luxuries on the table are secured from these cash sales, and make the home indispensable on the farm. They only demand a fair proportion of the farmer's time and are more capable of assisting themselves than any other stock.

The Big Tree Oil and Pipeline Co., with headquarters in Eminence, Metairie county, received their rigging and drilling machinery in Columbia last Saturday morning. This was taken to the Sparksville section where the first well will be drilled, within a few weeks. The company has purchased the Burksville II-rail plant, removed it to Eminence and will issue under the name, "The Big Tree Oil Co.," devoted to the oil business in the oil-bearing section of Southern Kentucky. Mr. E. L. Strang, of Burksville, will be editor.

The Home War-house sold 16 hogsheads of new barley; crop of 8 hogsheads of Hart county leaf, lugs and trash at \$3.75, \$3.25, \$2.75, \$2.25, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$5.50, \$6.00, \$6.50, \$7.00, \$7.50, \$8.00, \$8.50, \$9.00, \$9.50, \$10.00, \$10.50, \$11.00, \$11.50, \$12.00, \$12.50, \$13.00, \$13.50, \$14.00, \$14.50, \$15.00, \$15.50, \$16.00, \$16.50, \$17.00, \$17.50, \$18.00, \$18.50, \$19.00, \$19.50, \$20.00, \$20.50, \$21.00, \$21.50, \$22.00, \$22.50, \$23.00, \$23.50, \$24.00, \$24.50, \$25.00, \$25.50, \$26.00, \$26.50, \$27.00, \$27.50, \$28.00, \$28.50, \$29.00, \$29.50, \$30.00, \$30.50, \$31.00, \$31.50, \$32.00, \$32.50, \$33.00, \$33.50, \$34.00, \$34.50, \$35.00, \$35.50, \$36.00, \$36.50, \$37.00, \$37.50, \$38.00, \$38.50, \$39.00, \$39.50, \$40.00, \$40.50, \$41.00, \$41.50, \$42.00, \$42.50, \$43.00, \$43.50, \$44.00, \$44.50, \$45.00, \$45.50, \$46.00, \$46.50, \$47.00, \$47.50, \$48.00, \$48.50, \$49.00, \$49.50, 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# RESOLUTIONS OF KENTUCKY

Breeding Cde, No. 516, F. and A. M. adopted the following:

Whereas, It has pleased the Supreme Ruler of the universe to call from our midst our beloved brother, J. H. Nell, on the 14th day of November, 1904, to a higher and better life, therefore be it

Resolved, That inasmuch as the Fraternity has lost a faithful and an earnest member,

2. That we, his brethren, extend to his bereaved relatives our heartfelt sympathy, and we assure that the virtues of the loved son and brother shall live in perpetual memory in our hearts and affections.

3. That the members of this lodge wear the usual badge of mourning for thirty days.

4. That these resolutions be spread upon the minute book, a copy sent to the bereaved mother, and a copy to each of the county papers for publication.

G. G. Campbell,  
E. E. Kinney,  
A. W. Rice,  
Committee.

## MARTIN DAMRON DEAD.

Martin Damron was born June 12, 1861, in Adair county, Ky., and died Sunday October 9, 1904, at 1 o'clock and ten minutes, near Carrollton, Mo. When quite a young man he went to Missouri where he made many friends. Every body who knew him liked him. He was a man who had done much hard work, more than the average run of two men. He was never idle. He had a farm of 100 acres of good prairie land on which he erected a nice home for his dear wife and four beloved children, who are heart broken, almost grieved to death. The deceased was taken sick September 4, 1904, with typhoid fever, and was unconscious from the beginning of his sickness to the last. Every thing possible was done for him by skilled physicians, his wife and children and a trained nurse, but all in vain. He was sick five weeks and was never conscious but a few minutes at a time.

Martin Damron was a devoted husband and father and an enterprising citizen. He will be greatly missed. He was a son of Mr. Elzy Damron, Adair county, Ky.

## GOOD SUGGESTIONS.

Marking the products in the best possible condition is where the profits are made.

A farrow passed through a place in the wheat field will often save an acre of wheat.

In planting out an orchard the fall do not plant out more than can be manured and cared for.

Farm life may be made a burden or a pleasure, according to the management of the home, the farm and the work.

Clean up the farm, and its value will be increased, and when it is cleaned and cleared it will cultivate more easily and cheaply.

The scrapings from the barnyard drawn out and spread on the meadow before cold weather will help to protect the grass roots and bring a better crop next season.

Remember this: Hay in a small stack will have a much longer part ruined by rain and weather than in a large one. So if you can possibly make room in the hay stack, put in the one or more small stacks left over.

A single egg producing rain in winter there is no grain finer than wheat. A mixture of hard, sound, wholesome wheat and small oats make an almost perfect grain ration for laying hens during the winter months.

When you cannot have hulled oats or small oats if you can get them, less full of the oats that have been compelled to grind and make the best results will be obtained. Ground green bone is valuable because it contains the raw meat, the gristle, the marrow and the best quality of egg forming material in the bone itself. It is the best kind of animal food when price will permit of its use.

Alph Weber has been arrested at Auburn, Cal., on the charge of robbing his parents, sister and brother and setting the farm on fire to hide the

fact. The Mayor of Pay, Ky., has been blown up by dynamite some time past the town making war on saloon law.

# A HEARTFUL VERGE.

A Sodaia Mo., correspondent says: From a quiet farm to mauler's cage, Jewel Geharty, a pretty Missouri girl, was sent this week as the result of a snake bite. The only wonder is that the girl is still alive. That is the victim of a deed that was finished in its course.

The family moved to Sodaia's not long ago. The girl left behind her in the state from which they came a young man who had been her sweetheart, and whom she had refused to marry. When she returned home the young man vowed revenge, but the girl paid no attention to his threat, thinking it an idle one.

After the family removed to Missouri, the girl almost forgot her former lover. But the young man did not forget. Several weeks ago, a box came by express from Jewel. Notice was received in due time that it awaited her at the express office, and her brother drove to town and brought it out to the farm. It was stout wooden box and the brother pried the cover off with a chisel. Within the wooden box was a smaller box of cardboard and this Miss Geharty lifted out.

With a girl's curiosity to know what the present sent her, Miss Geharty sent the box on the table and cut the string that tied it. She stooped closely over the box and lifted the cover. Her mother and brother were standing by, were startled by a fearful scream, and the girl fell to the floor in convulsions with a moaning rattlesnake hanging by its fangs which were fastened in her cheek.

Though greatly frightened the mother and brother succeeded in tearing the snake from the girl's face and in killing it. A physician was at once summoned, and in the meantime the brother took his pocket knife and cut out the flesh in the cheek where the snake's fangs were set. His prompt action probably saved the girl's life.

When the physician came the snake was administered, but Miss Geharty went from one convulsion to another until she was quieted by opiates. After she had grown quieter a search was instituted, to find, if possible, who had sent the box. Although there was no proof against the young man whom she had refused to marry, circumstances pointed to him as the guilty party. The box was sent from the town in which he lived and suspicion fixed upon him.

When the girl came from under the influence of the opiate which had been administered to her she was violently insane and remained so. She imagined that the snake is still hanging to her face and attacks the people who come near her. The family feared that she might do herself or others some harm, and it was deemed best to send her to a private sanitarium for treatment. Physicians say that she may recover in time.

## TRULY ILLOGICAL.

Gustave Whitehead, the aeronaut of Bridgeport, Conn., was discussing the aeronautical work of Prof. Alexander Graham Bell.

"Prof. Bell's work is logical," he said; "whereas too much of the work of our aeronauts is illogical—quite as illogical as the remark that a young Swede once made to me in a storm."

"The Swede and I were out walking together when a storm came up. The rain fell violently. We took refuge under a tree."

"The tree for about fifteen minutes made a good refuge. Then it began to leak. The cold raindrops began to fall down my neck, and I began to complain."

"Oh, never mind," said the Swede; "there are plenty of trees. As soon as this one is wet through we'll go under another."

The Court of Appeals of this State has recently rendered a decision, annulling a contract made by some expert timber men for a lot of standing trees belonging to two old women, who were not in position to know the value of them. It appears that the trees were really worth \$800 or \$700 and that they were sold for \$250 because of the ignorance of the old women. The court says: "Where one party has means of knowledge of the subject of trade not available to the other and by reason thereof knows of facts material to the transaction, but fraudulently conceals the knowledge from the other by willful deception into believing a fact to exist, by which the agreement induced, by the law does not deem it a meeting of the minds."

meeting of the minds is a necessary part of a valid contract. The court is entitled to the contract.

# IN VIOLATION OF THIS LAW.

FACTS WORTH REMEMBERING.

(The following interesting paragraphs were culled from various articles in the November issue of "Success.")

The population of the world is estimated to be 1,503,300,000.

Waste leather is no longer thrown away. Manufacturers use it in a compressed form instead of iron, to make make cog wheels.

The Ambitious society of London has been formed with the object of encouraging people to use both hands with equal facility.

Ants are the most brainy of all creatures. In proportion to its size, an ant's brain is larger than that of any other living being.

More than two thousand skilled workmen have left the French silk factories of Roubaix and Tournai, within a year, for the United States.

The countries that have the largest population, China, India and Russia, are not the strongest nations, either industrially, commercially, or in other ways.

Five women of Washington, D. C., are still drawing pensions as widows of soldiers who served in the war of the Revolution, which ended one hundred and twenty years ago.

Tibet's six million people have to support an army of four hundred and thirty thousand priests, who produce nothing but beautiful illuminated copies of the sacred writings. They hold all the public offices.

The number of timber sleepers on the railways of the world is calculated to be of the surface of the earth. It is estimated that only about three percent of the people of the world obtain their living directly from the sea.

An English naval cadet who, on his training ship, took eleven first prizes, and in the first examination, obtained ninety-seven and six tenths per cent, was rejected at the medical examination on account of a small defect in one little toe.

The development of the dairy industry in the United States is scarcely realized by business men. In 1898 the butter hauled over the Minneapolis and St. Louis railroad was four hundred thousand pounds. Last year it was nearly fourteen millions, the gain coming wholly from the developments of creameries along the railroad.

Last year coal constituted about 40 percent of the total tonnage of the American railways. To carry a ton in England from the Yorkshire coal fields to London, a distance of one hundred and fifty-eight miles, costs one dollar and eighty-seven cents, while coal is carried from the Carbonate coal region in Illinois to Chicago, two hundred and seventy-six miles, for 75 cents a ton.

A novelty in stove is a battle-ship range with steel racks for preventing the pots and pans from going better-shelter in a high sea, and with ingenious braces for holding the range in place.

Welding by electricity is brought to such perfection that welding apparatus can be carried to a railroad track and two rails joined as solidly as if they had come out of the rolling mill in one piece.

An interesting exhibit at the St. Louis exposition is a locomotive that has run 82 miles an hour in railroad tests, and another locomotive that puts a train weighing 400 tons at a speed of 60 miles an hour.

A recent mechanical wonder is a telegraphic instrument which sends one thousand words a minute over lines a thousand miles in length. A human operator can transmit fifty words a minute.

The St. Louis exposition proves that the inventions and discoveries which are doing most to change the world are radium and the submarine boat, wireless telegraphy, the aeroplane, the automobile, and the gas producer—a simple machine to replace coal for manufacturing uses.

Georgia has held the lead in the production of peaches for the century since 1802, and for years to come is likely to be the leading peach state in the union.

There are 30,000 dry goods stores in the United States.

It is estimated that nearly 8,000 pianos to the Kentucky building of the World's Fair have played the piano the familiar tune of "Old Kentucky Home."

People are just beginning to appreciate the romance of business. In the November Woman's Home Companion there is a striking and dramatic story of "The Rise and Fall of Bully, King of Cotton." In its interest it equals the Standard Oil tales—the Lawson disclosures. In a remarkable series, dealing with the World's Quaint and Curious Customs, there is an article in the November Woman's Home Companion on "Saint Patrick's Purge," telling of the strange ceremonies at Ireland's oldest shrine. It will especially interest religious readers. Published by The Crowell Publishing Company.

FOUR RENT.—Some houses and lots and some small farms. Apply to A. B. Cox.

## NEVER AGAIN.

President Roosevelt will never again be a candidate. He has made the following statement:

"I am deeply sensible of the honor done me by the American people to this expressing their confidence in what I have done and tried to do. I appreciate to the full the solemn responsibility this confidence imposes upon me, and I shall do all that in my power lies to merit it. On the 4th of March next I shall have served three and a half years, and this three and a half years constitute my first term. The wise custom which limits the President to two terms regards the salience and not the form, and under no circumstances will I be a candidate for or accept another nomination."

The sugar consumption of the United States in the current year seems likely to exceed that of any previous year both in quantity of sugar brought into the United States in the nine months ending with September, 1904, is 41 billion pounds, against 31 billion pounds in 1903, the high record imported in sugar in the corresponding period of earlier years. Of this enormous quantity of sugar brought into the United States during the nine months practically one-fourth came from the noncontiguous territory of the United States—Hawaii, Porto Rico, and the Philippine Islands; more than one-half came from Cuba, and the remainder chiefly from other lands of the East and West Indies.

## CHEAP RATES SOUTH WEST.

Southern Missouri, Arkansas, Louisiana and Texas.

Home-seekers' Opportunities.

Here's your chance, Very low one-way and round trip rates Southwest this winter—about half the regular fare, twice a month—nearby dates are, Dec. 15, 1904, May 5, to Sept. 2 and 16, 1904. Good time to visit South-east Missouri, Arkansas, Louisiana or Texas and pick out a location.

Round trip tickets permit stop-over on the going trip, return limit 21 days. Write and tell us your starting point and where you want to go. We will tell you exactly what your ticket will cost, one-way or round trip; we will see that your baggage is checked, and that you are comfortably located on the right train. Write for our illustrated descriptive literature, maps, lists of real estate agents and let us help you find a better home in the country along the Cotton Belt Route.

Write to-day to L. O. Schaffer, T. P. A., Cotton Belt Route, Cin'ti, O. —or— E. W. La Beaume, G. P. & T. A., Cotton Belt Route, St. Louis, Mo.

## CHEAP LANDS

For Home-seekers' and Colonies.

The country along the Cotton Belt Route in Southeast Missouri, Arkansas, Northwest Louisiana and Texas offers the greatest opportunities for Home-seekers. Mild climate, good water, cheap building material, abundance of fuel, and soil that will often in a single season yield enough to pay for the ground. Land can be bought as cheap as \$2.50 an acre, prairie land at \$4 and 65 per acre up, bottom land at \$6 and 80 per acre up, improved or partly cleared land at \$10 and \$15 per acre. Some fine propositions for colonies—tracts of 2,000 to 8,000 acres at \$4 to \$10 per acre—big money in this for a good capitalist. Fruit and truck lands in the famous peach and tomato belt of East-Texas at \$10 to \$20 per acre up. Write us for information about cheap rates, excursion fares, also literature descriptive of this great country and let us help you find a home that will cost you no more than the rent you pay every year.

E. W. LABEAUME, G. P. & T. A. Cotton Belt Route, St. Louis, Mo.

# MINERAL WATER.

Has Been Recently Found on the Farm of J. C. Morrison, Taylor County.

This well is on the Campbellville and Greenburg pike, five miles from the former place and seven from the latter. The well is 88 feet deep and the water is as cold as a person would want it. It is situated on Mr. J. C. Morrison's place, who is making preparations to take a few boarders.

The following gives a full explanation: Agricultural Experiment Station, State College of Kentucky.

Lexington, Ky., July 30, 14, 1904.—Mineral water sent by J. C. Morrison, Campbellville, Taylor county, Ky., July 18, 1904. The sample was received July 21, 1904, in pint bottle. The water smelled strongly of hydrogen sulphide and there was a deposit of sulphur in the bottle.

ANALYSIS. The water contains 320.9 grains of solid matter to the gallon, composed mainly of chlorides and sulphates of sodium, calcium and magnesium, some calcium carbonate and traces of iron, potassium and lithium compounds and a trace of borates. The water contained also a very considerable quantity of hydrogen sulphide. Is very good saline sulphur water.

ALFRED M. PETER, Chemist.

## VETERINARY SURGEON.

Fistula, Poll-evil, splints, spavins or any surgical work done at fair prices. I am fitted to take care of stock. Special attention to eyes.

S. D. ORENSHAW, 14 miles from Columbia on Disappointment.

## LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Reported by the Louisville Live Stock Exchange, Bourbon Street (Yards).

CATTLE. Extra shipping..... 35 50/60 Light shipping..... 4 75/6 25 Fair to good..... 4 80/64 15 Fair to good butchers..... 3 75/64 30 Common to medium butchers..... 3 50/63 30

HOES. Choice packing and butchers, 200 to 300 lbs..... 5 50 Fair to good packing, 160 to 200 lbs..... 5 50 Good to extra light, 120 to 160 lbs..... 5 50

SHEEP AND LAMBS. Good to extra shipping..... 3 50/63 50 Sheep..... 3 50/63 50 Fair to good..... 2 50/63 300 Common to medium..... 1 50/64 1 25

## C. S. GRADY, DENTIST.

SPECIAL attention given to Gold Filling, Crown and Bridge work. —or— OFFICE over Jeffries & Son's Store, Columbia, Ky.

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